PLANNING COMMISSION REPORT



MEETING DATE: September 13, 2006 ITEM No. GOAL: Coordinate Planning to Balance Infrastructure

SUBJECT

Cullum Custom Cabinets - 20-UP-2006

REQUEST

Request to approve a conditional use permit for manufacturing and finishing of wood cabinetry and furniture in an industrial building located at 7722 E. Gray Road with Industrial Park District (I-1) zoning.

Key Items for Consideration:

- This property is surrounded by similar industrial/warehouse buildings.
- All equipment and activities, including the dust collector and paint spray booth, will be indoors.
- There are no impacts anticipated pertaining to noise, pollution, traffic, or public services.
- One comment was received indicating that this business would be too noisy to be this close to residential property.
- The nearest residential use is located 530 feet to the south.

OWNER

Cullum Homes 480-949-2700

APPLICANT CONTACT

Ron Kollitz Cullum Homes 480-313-7309

LOCATION

7722 E Gray Road

BACKGROUND

Zoning.

The site is zoned Industrial Park (I-1) District. The I-1 zoning district allows manufacturing, processing, warehouse and office uses. Furniture manufacturing and refinishing is a conditional use in this district.

Context.

This 1.6-acre property is located in the Scottsdale Airpark industrial area, and is surrounded by similar industrial/warehouse buildings. The nearest residential use is located 530 feet to the south.

Adjacent Uses and Zoning:

•	North	Industrial/warehouse use, zoned I-1 District
•	South	Industrial/warehouse use, zoned I-1 District
•	East	Industrial/warehouse use, zoned I-1 District
•	West	Industrial/warehouse use, zoned I-1 District



APPLICANT'S PROPOSAL

Goal/Purpose of Request.

This is a request for approval of a cabinet manufacturing and refinishing business in a portion of an existing warehouse/shop building. There will be no changes made to the exterior of the building, and all manufacturing and finishing activities will be conducted indoors. Operations include milling of raw materials, assembling cabinets and similar wood products, staining and finishing, and storage. Equipment for this use includes wood milling machines, finishing spray booths, and a dust collection system.

Development Information.

• Existing Use: Furniture warehousing and upholstery

shop

• Buildings/Description: One existing industrial building (2 stories,

40,569 square feet)

• Parcel Size: 1.6 acres

• Floor Area of proposed use: 11,563 square feet (west half of the first

floor)

Parking Required/Provided 68 spaces / 76 spaces

IMPACT ANALYSIS

Traffic.

There are no anticipated traffic impacts. Streets within the Scottsdale Airpark are designed to accommodate the level and type of traffic generated by this and other industrial and commercial uses. The proposed operation of manufacturing and finishing of wood cabinetry and furniture is estimated to generate 265 daily trips, with 35 a.m. peak hour trips and 37 p.m. peak hour trips. In comparison to operating the existing building as general office, which would be estimated to generate 633 daily trips, this represents an approximately 58% reduction in daily trips.

Water/Sewer.

Existing sewer and water facilities are provided to this site. No water or sewer system upgrades or additional service connections are required.

Fire.

The fire department has no objections subject to final review and approval of the equipment specifications and the provision of an adequate fire extinguisher system.

Use Permit Criteria.

Conditional use permits, which may be revocable, conditional, or valid for a specified time period, may be granted only when expressly permitted after the Planning Commission has made a recommendation and the City Council has found as follows:

- A. That the granting of such conditional use permit will not be materially detrimental to the public health, safety or welfare. In reaching this conclusion, the Planning Commission and the City Council's consideration shall include, but not be limited to, the following factors:
 - 1. Damage or nuisance arising from noise, smoke, odor, dust, vibration or

illumination.

- All manufacturing, assembly and finishing operations will be conducted inside of the facility. Appropriate ventilation and filtration systems will reduce paint and finish spray fumes and odors to mitigate any impacts to adjacent uses. No impacts related smoke, dust and vibration are associated with this operation.
- The applicant is required to obtain Maricopa County Environmental Health Services, Air Pollution Control Division approvals. County regulations include enforcement and inspection.
- 2. Impact on surrounding areas resulting from an unusual volume or character of traffic.
 - The operation is not a significant generator of traffic. The local street system is designed to a local commercial street standard and is intended to accommodate the level and type of vehicle traffic associated with this use. The site has adequate parking for this use and other uses in the building.
- 3. There are no other factors associated with this project that will be materially detrimental to the public.
 - No additional impacts identified.
- B. The characteristics of the proposed conditional use are reasonably compatible with the types of uses permitted in the surrounding areas.
 - The use is compatible with the surrounding industrial/warehouse uses. The nearest residential use is located 530 feet to the south.
- C. The additional conditions specified in Section 1.403, as applicable, have been satisfied.
 - There are no other specific requirements for this use that apply to this case.

Community Involvement.

This site has been posted with an information sign and surrounding property owners have been notified. One letter was received indicating that this business would be too noisy so close to residential property. No other comments have been received.

STAFF

Recommended Approach:

RECOMMENDATION

Staff finds that the Conditional Use Permit criteria have been satisfied and recommends approval subject to the attached stipulations.

RESPONSIBLE DEPT(S)

Planning and Development Services Department

Current Planning Services

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ATTACHMENTS

- 1. Stipulations
- 2. Applicant's Narrative
- 3. Context Aerial
- 3A. Aerial Close-Up
- 4. Zoning Map
- 5. Citizen Involvement
- 6. City Notification Map
- 7. Floor Plan

STIPULATIONS FOR CASE 20-UP-2006

PLANNING/ DEVELOPMENT

- CONFORMANCE TO DEVELOPMENT SUBMITTAL. Development shall conform to the Floor Plan submitted by the applicant and staff dated 7/6/06. These stipulations take precedence over the above-referenced floor plan. Any proposed significant change, as determined by the Zoning Administrator, shall be subject to subsequent public hearings before the Planning Commission and City Council.
- 2. LOCATION OF EQUIPMENT. All manufacturing and finishing activities shall be conducted indoors.
- 3. VENTILATION AND DUST CONTROL. Prior to the commencement of manufacturing or spraying operations, the business owner shall install ventilation and dust control systems, in accordance with manufacturers specifications and to the satisfaction of City Building Plan Review staff. This system shall prevent odors and dust resulting from the manufacturing and finishing operations from being released to the exterior of the building or to other tenant spaces within the same building. No odors or dust shall be ventilated through any open doors.
- 4. FIRE CODE COMPLIANCE. All elements of paint booth and exhaust system shall comply with all applicable Fire Code regulations.
- 5. AIR QUALITY STANDARDS. The developer shall conform to the requirements of the Maricopa County Environmental Health Services, Air Pollution Control Division and conform to all requirements related to this use including obtaining an Air Quality Permit prior to operation, as required by the Division.



Project Narrative

This document will be uploaded to a Case Fact Sheet on the City's web site.

Date:	Project No.: PA			
Coordinator:	Case No.:			
Project Name:				
Project Location: 7722 E Gray Rd, Scottsdale,	AZ 85260			
Property Details:				
☐ Single-Family Residentail ☐ Multi-Family	Residential Commercial Industrial			
Current Zoning: I-1	Proposed Zoning:n/a			
Number of Buildings:1	Parcel Size: 70,500 sqft			
Gross Floor Area/Total Units: 40,569	Floor Area Ratio/Density:			
Parking Required: 68	Parking Provided: 76			
Setbacks: N S	_ E W			

Description of Request:

Cullum Homes, a quality home builder for the Scottsdale and Paradise Valley areas, has a need to expand their custom cabinet manufacturing capabilities to support their growth in the community.

Request a conditional use permit for cabinet and furniture manufacturing and finishing at 7722 E Gray Rd with Industrial Park I-1 zoning.

The existing building is currently being leased a number of tenets supporting operations from furniture warehousing to upholstery work. Cullum Custom Cabinets intends to occupy approximately 11,000 sqft of the first floor for cabinet and furniture manufacturing.

Items for Consideration:

- 1. There are no changes planned for the exterior of the building. All manufacturing will be conducted within the confines of the existing structure.
 - 2. The site bordered on all sides by other I-1 facilities.
- 3. A dust collection system will be needed to support manufacturing processes. The dust collector will be completely located within the existing structure (shown on floorplan). No dust collector components will be outside of the building or visible from the exterior.
- 4 Two spray booths will be needed for the finishing process. They will have a combined footprint of approximately 500 sqft. Both units will be located within a prep and finish room of appx 1500 sqft (separate from the other operations within the building shown on floorplan). The booths will contain filtration and ventilation systems, will be vented through the roof of the building, and will meet Scottsdale Fire Code.
- 5. The site would be a minor traffic generator (see Trip Generation Report). The streets already support I-1 traffic in the immediate vicinity.

Planning and Development Services Department

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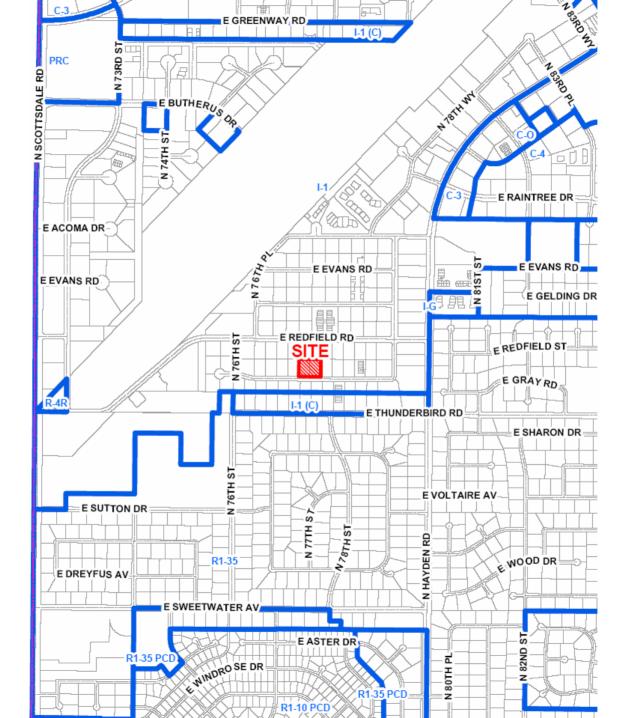
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Zoning Map



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NEIGHBORHOOD INVOLVEMENT REPORT

The following is a list of all property owners within 750' of the referenced site. The owners were contacted through 1st class mail sent through the USPS on 16 June, 2006.

Attachments:

- 1. Property owner contact information
- 2. Map of parcels within 750' of site
- 3. Notification letter
- 4. Site map sent with notification letter
- 5. Affidavit of posting
- 6. Picture of posted sign
- No comments, letters, or correspondence were received prior to application submittal
- o Comments, letters, and/or correspondence attached

McClay, Doris

From:

Frey, Beckye

Sent:

Tuesday, June 20, 2006 11:01 AM

To:

Curtis, Tim; McClay, Doris

Subject:

FW: cullum custom cabinets (402-PA-2006)

----Original Message----

From: penifriend@netzero.net [mailto:penifriend@netzero.net]

Sent: Tuesday, June 20, 2006 9:39 AM

To: Planning Customer Relations Subject: cullum custom cabinets

I think this business would be far to noisey to be this close to residental property. I strongly abject to this business getting a permit to operate in the air park

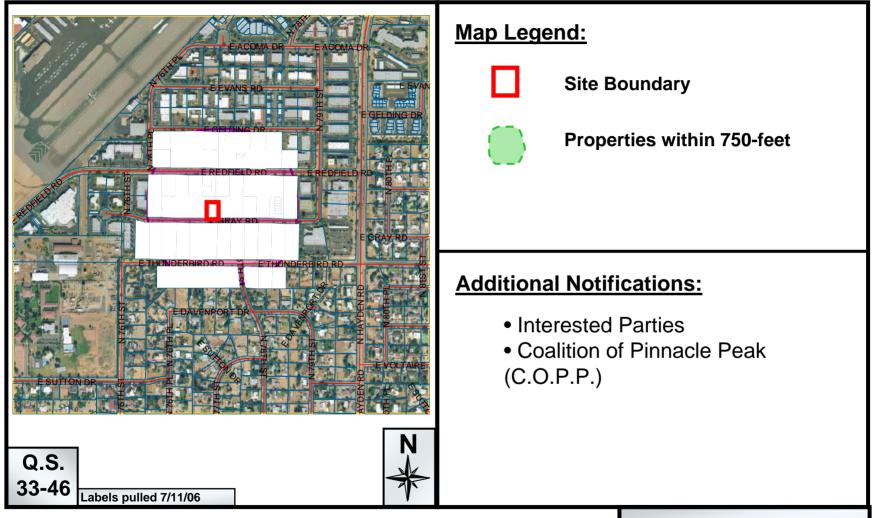
Richard Friend

penifriend@netzero.net

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City Notifications – Mailing List Selection Map



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OCCUPANCY GROUPS:

MANUFACTURING AND STORAGE

STORAGE AREA:

MANUFACTURING AREA: 22,465 SQ FT

TYPE OF CONSTRUCTION: BLOCK

18,104 SQ FT

FLOOR AREA: HEIGHT:

40,569 SQ FT 32 FT

NUMBER OF STORIES: OCCUPANT LOAD:

MANUFACTURING:

22,465 SQ FT / 500 = 4518,104 SQ FT / 800 = 23

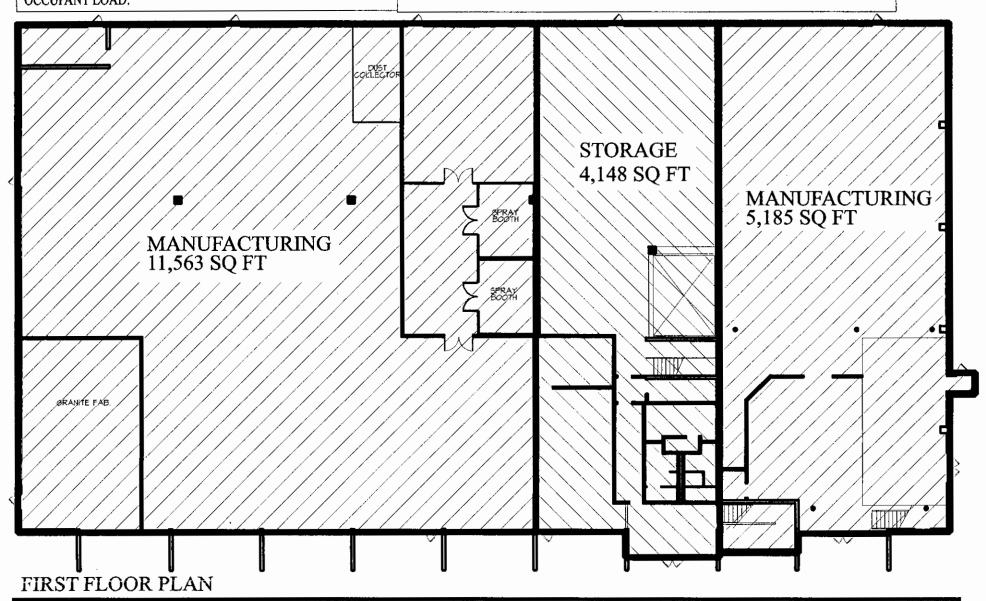
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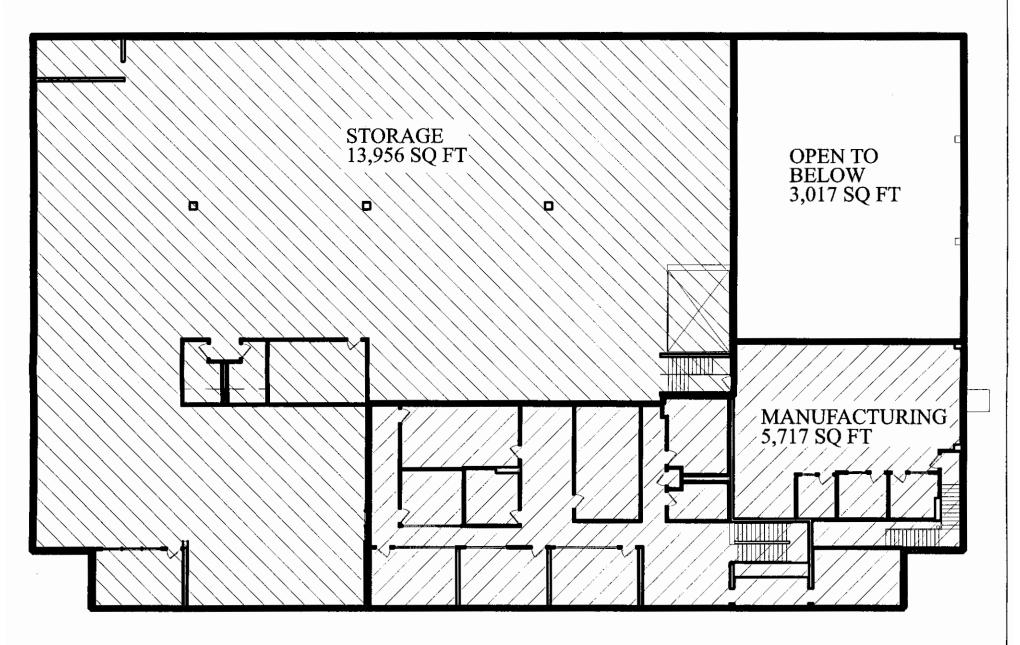
TOTAL PARKING SPACES REQD:

PARKING SPACE CALCULATION

68 76

TOTAL PARKING SPACES AVAIL:





SECOND FLOOR PLAN